Form PTO-1449 (Modified)	Atty Docket No.	Serial No.	
LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS	YMMRP0101US	10/549,470	
FOR APPLICANT'S	Applicant:		
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT	Masaru SHIMIZU et al.		
(Use several sheets if necessary)	Filing Date	Group	
	September 14 2005	3765	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial	Document Number	Date (MM/YYYY)	Name	Class	Sub- class	Filing Date if Appropriate
/GRK/	3,759,198	September 1973	Pisani			
/GRK/	2,619,057	November 1952	D.W. Ellis, Sr.			
/GRK/	3,013,513	December 1961	D.N. Judelson			
/GRK/	1,865,945	July 1932	J. Monforts et al.			
/GRK/	2002/0174930	November 2002	Umebayashi et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner	Document Number	Date Country	Class	Sub-	Translation		
Initial		(MM/YYYY)			class	Yes	No
/GRK/	25 03 701	August 1976	DE				Х
/GRK/	1 944 633	March 1971	DE			Abstract	

OTHER ART

Examiner Initial	Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.
/GRK/	European Patent Office Communication for corresponding Application No. 04 722 079.3 dated December 17, 2007.

EXAMINER	/George Koch/	DATE CONSIDERED	04/02/2009	
	ractige retain			

EXAMINER Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Information Disclosure Statement PTO-1449 (Modified)

The identification of any reference is not intended to be, and should not be understood as being, an admission that such publication, in fact, constitutes 'prior art' within the meaning of applicable law is nece, for example, a given reference may have a later effective date than first seems apparent or the reference may have an effective date which can be antedated. The "prior art" status of any reference is a matter to be resolved during prosecution.